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## Introduction

This procedure provides the details of pharmacists that supply palliative care drugs in the **Birmingham, Solihull Sandwell, Dudley, and Wolverhampton area**.

## Specialist Palliative Care Drugs (SPCD) – Network of Pharmacies

SPCD is a local enhanced service commissioned by four local clinical commission groups across the West Midlands.

Pharmacies will hold agreed stocks of SPCD drugs and dispense palliative care prescriptions.

The aim of this service is to provide a network of community pharmacies.

## BADGER Stock

BADGER holds a small emergency stock of palliative care drugs (Diamorphine) for use by visiting doctors to give to patients in their own homes.

## Dispensing to other Health Care Professionals

BADGER does not act as a dispensary to nurse or other medical prescribers and does not have a licence to dispense these drugs for other parties.

Other healthcare professionals requesting the supply of these drugs should be advised to contact one of the pharmacies listed on the enclosed circular from the network or advised to go to the pharmacy at City or Heartlands hospital.

## Procedure for Accessing Updated Pharmacy Information:

### 1. ICB Website:

The latest information is periodically updated on the ICB website

<https://www.birminghamsolihull.icb.nhs.uk/search?query=SPCD#search-anchor>

### 2. Adastra:

- Navigate to 'Web Communications'
- Submenu: 'Comms Tab'
- Open the 'Documents' section
- Search or scroll to find 'Pharmacy Information' and the information will be within 'Pharmacy - Specialist Palliative Care Drugs Supply.'

## Specialist Palliative Care Drugs Supply

SPCD Network of Pharmacies that stock End of Life Medication in the West Midlands

The Specialist Palliative Care Drugs Supply (SPCD) is a local enhanced service commissioned by two Integrated Care Systems across the West Midlands and delivered by NHS Midlands and Lancashire Commissioning Support Unit.

Pharmacies will hold agreed stocks of SPCD drugs and dispense palliative care prescriptions.

The aim of this Service is to provide a network of community pharmacies across Birmingham, Dudley, Sandwell, Solihull and Wolverhampton who undertake to improve access for people to specialist medicines when required.

The SPCD service will allow on demand, prompt access and continuity of supply of specialist palliative care drugs, during extended pharmacy opening hours.

If you have any comments or queries, please contact us using the email address below.

[mlcsu.pharmacy.service.queries@nhs.net](mailto:mlcsu.pharmacy.service.queries@nhs.net)

[Click here](#) to view your nearest SPCD Pharmacy or scan the QR below using your smart phone or mobile device

#### Core Stock List

Alfentanil 500mcg/ml ampoule  
Cyclizine 50mg/ml ampoule  
Dexamethasone 3.3mg/ml ampoule  
Diamorphine 5mg, 10mg, & 30mg ampoule  
Haloperidol 5mg/ml ampoule  
Hyoscine butylbromide 20mg/ml ampoule  
Levomopromazine 25mg/1ml ampoule  
Metoclopramide 10mg/2ml ampoule  
Midazolam 10mg/2ml ampoule  
Morphine sulphate 10mg, & 30mg ampoule  
Oxycodone 10mg/ml ampoule  
Saline for injection 10ml  
Water for injection 10ml

#### Supplementary Stock List

Diamorphine ampoule 100mg (Birmingham and Solihull only)  
Glycopyrronium Bromide 600mcg/3ml (Dudley & Wolverhampton only)  
Fentanyl Injection 100mcg/2ml (Sandwell only)  
Saline 1L bag for Infusion (Birmingham and Solihull only)



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